

# Southampton-Feasterville Edition

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### San Francisco Affair Turns Into Pep Rally

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SAN FRANCISCO UP — The Republican National Convention ran dry of unsettled issues today and turned into a campaign pep rally.

With the renomination of an Eisenhower-Nixon ticket a foregone conclusion in the mind of nearly every delegate, the convention gave its full attention to the joyous task of elaborating the Democratic foe on free television time.

Party managers, who feared that public interest in the suspenseless proceedings might lag, counted on President Eisenhower's arrival late today to supply some zip.

Today's session was gainfully employed with the adoption of a 1956 campaign platform pledging peace, prosperity and equal rights to all Americans and speeches by permanent convention Chairman Joseph W. Martin of Massachusetts.

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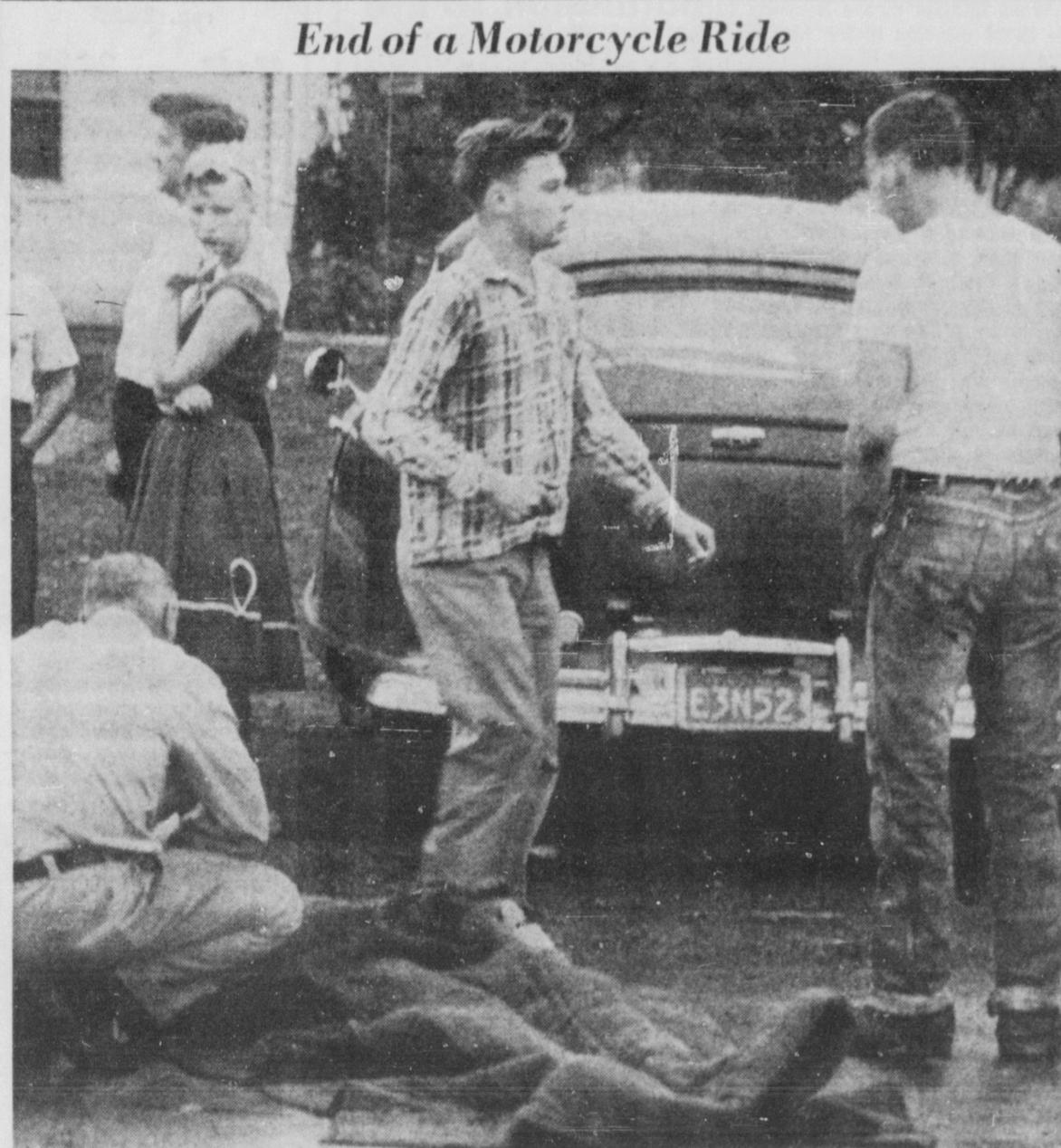
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### L. Southampton Rec Program Nearing End

3,500 Took Part In 8-Week Activities, Harry Franks Reports

Contests, games, movies and a special party will bring Lower Southampton's summer recreation program to a close this week.

More than 3500 children, teenagers and adults participated in the eight-week program, topping last year's successful program, Harry Franks, recreation director, reported.

This week's final schedule is limited to only afternoon playground sessions, plus evening can-teens and outdoor movies. Morning sessions have been eliminated, Mr. Franks said.

Thursday Last Day

Thursday will be the last day, and Mr. Franks' 12-man staff has planned a "special" party for the

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### S'hampton Rec Program Ends

Upper Southampton Township's summer recreation program ends this week, and events will close with a special series of games Friday morning. James Exum, recreation director, announced today.

The assortment of picnic-type games will last from 9 to 11 a.m., Mr. Exum explained. Three-legged and potato races will be featured, he said.

Cookies and ice cream will also highlight Friday's closing activities, and there will be plenty for all the youngsters, Mr. Exum reported. He expects about 50 boys and girls to attend.

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### Seven Named To Park Commission By Gov. Leader

Seven new commissioners were appointed to Washington Crossing Park Commission yesterday by Gov. Leader, and the terms of seven old ones "automatically expired."

Only two of the present park commissioners will keep their jobs, Mrs. Anne Hawkes Hut-Lacey, New Hope.

New appointments, confirmed by Gov. Leader's office this morning, are Mrs. Elinore R. Ridge, Morrisville; Thomas E. Priory, Bristol; Irving G. Schorsch, Feasterville; Isadore A. Shrager, Philadelphia; Emil J. Lever, Solebury; J. Carroll Molloy, Jr., Doylestown, and Donald E. De-

Lacy, New Hope.

Those whose terms have "expired" are Howard G. Krupp,

Chalfont; Ernest H. Harvey, Langhorne; Mrs. Charles Harper Smith, Hatboro; secretary; Quinton Oblinger, New Hope; William C. Varcoe, Wycombe; Stuart M. Hartzel, Chalfont, and A. S. Hines, Philadelphia.

Several of the commissioners

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### Sign For School Site



The formal purchase of the Bucks County Technical School's 46-acre site at Newportville and Windsor Roads in Bristol Township was completed this morning at 10 a.m. during a meeting held in Morrisville. The site was bought from the Danherst Corporation for \$90,000. The school opening is planned for September of 1957. Seated above are (from left): George Schaffer, principal of the school; and Gordon Bolin of the Danherst Corporation. Standing are (from left): M. R. Reiter, school superintendent; John W. Eckelberry and Walter W. Jackson, Danherst attorneys, and Willard S. Curtin, attorney for the school officials. (Courier and Times Photo)

### Mother Of Two-Year-Old Is Critical

A two-year-old Feasterville girl was killed in an auto accident in Bustleton last night, and her mother remains in critical condition in Nazareth Hospital today.

Little Loretta Niemeczak, of 19 S. Eastview avenue, died after her mother's car skidded on a wet road during last night's rain, bounced off one vehicle and smashed head-on into another.

Nazareth Hospital officials reported this morning that the condition of Mrs. Irene Niemeczak, 26, remained unchanged. "She is still in very critical condition," the information office reported.

The body of the two-year-old child was still in the Philadelphia city morgue, the office of the Philadelphia Police medical inspector reported.

Hospital authorities reported Mrs. Niemeczak suffered head and internal injuries.

#### Car Skidded

Mrs. Niemeczak was driving south on Bustleton pike above Bell's Corner at 5:56 p.m. when her car skidded, Philadelphia police reported. Her car first struck a glancing blow on a vehicle operated by Milton H. Gerwitz, of Tomlinson road, near Bustleton pike.

"Our morning session is filled, but we still have openings for our afternoon session," Mrs. Wingender explained.

The Feasterville kindergarten is an independent organization run by a committee of mothers. It was established because there is no kindergarten in the Lower Southampton public school system.

Classes are held at the Feasterville Community Church under the direction of a committee of seven. Kindergarten classes will begin September 10.

Morning hours are from 9 to 11:30 and afternoon sessions last from 12:30 to 3 o'clock. Youngsters must be five years of age before January 1. Mrs. Wingender said.

The private kindergarten is operated in much the same manner as regular kindergartens, Mrs. Wingender explained.

"We have a full schedule of all sorts of activities," said the registrar. "Our kindergarten gives youngsters that needed extra year before being thrust into first grade."

A kindergarten program for Lower Southampton public schools was voted down by the school board last year.

"There's no chance of public kindergartens this year, and I doubt whether we'll get them next year," said Mrs. Wingender.

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### New Bristol Beat



Bristol Patrolman Earl Trimble was greeted by a steady rain last night when he began his new beat on foot in the business section of the borough. Trimble will patrol the area from midnight until 8 a.m. Some policemen and officials have questioned the reason for the creation of the post particularly since Trimble is the only one assigned to it. (Courier and Times Photo)

### Falls Says Steel Firm Assessment \$4½ Million Low

By LYDIA BOGANE  
Courier and Times Staff Writer

Falls Township officials are preparing to wage a legal battle against the new Fairless Works assessment which is 4½ million dollars less than they expected it would be. The 1957 assessment for the township's largest industry is just \$300,000 more than last year's. The increase in assessment will bring only \$15,000 more tax revenue to the money-famished school district as against the \$200,000 increase it would have gotten had the assessment gone up as expected.

Falls Township Supervisor Chairman Milton Berkes said the school board, supervisors, and the Democratic Club would make legal appeals on the assessment figure as soon as possible.

#### To Fight Ruling

He explained that the Democratic group would base its appeal indirectly on the assessment by fighting the ruling recently handed down by County Solicitor Robert Valmont. This ruling contend that blast furnaces are tax exempt in fifth class counties, Berkes said this appeal would be a "citizen's appeal."

Berkes declared that township groups had expected the 5 million dollar increase in assessment based on County Commissioner John Welsh's statement in 1953 when he was minority commissioner.

Berkes said at that time Welsh told a group of Steel Works workers the plant was worth about \$25 million. "Since the 1956 assessment was \$22,207,770 we felt fair evaluation this year would bring the plant up at least 5 million more where it should be. There have been many improvements and additions on

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### Bensalem Zoning Board Plans Action

Eddington Group Told Builder May Appear Before JP

The Bensalem Zoning Board of Adjustment told approximately 18 residents of Eddington who appeared at a re-hearing for the case of Philip Meyers, Richboro builder, that they would seek to have Mr. Meyers brought before a Justice of the Peace for building violations.

The hearing, called at the request of the township supervisors, was a result of picketing of a housing site at June and Woodbine avenues, Eddington, by housewives.

Harold Neal, speaking for the board, said that Dody would take into consideration the requests of residents since the Board had

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### Inside Today's Paper

#### CD Prepares

Bristol Township Civil Defense will meet with local industry to plan for any disaster, war or natural.

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#### Bathing Beauties

The Delaware Valley isn't short on beauty. Eleven more girls have entered the "Queen of the Delaware Valley" contest. They are shown in today's paper.

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#### Our Regulars

Humor, advice and information are yours on today's editorial page with Earl Wilson, Dr. William Brady, Fred Othman, and other columnists. Page 6.

#### Coming Tomorrow

The back to school edition of the Courier and Times comes out tomorrow with news and advertisements for parents and children.

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Second Front Page

## New Voters Register



Residents of the Pennsbury Heights-Falls Park area registered to vote yesterday at the Yardley Farms sample home on Makefield road. Though the registration point was open to all new eligible voters in the area, most of yesterday's registration was made up of residents of the two new housing developments. (Courtesy and Times Photo)

## Bracken Post To Install New Officers

A marine veteran will be installed as commander of Robert W. Bracken Post, American Legion, at 8:30 p.m. today at the post home, 619 Radcliffe street, Bristol.

The new commander will be William McCollie, Schumacker drive, Bristol Terrace 1. He has been active with the post for the past 11 years and previously served as junior vice commander and chairman of the house committee.

McCollie is the second ex-marine to be elected commander in the post's 36-year history.

Other top officers to be installed tonight are Arthur Straccio, senior vice commander, and Clede Bryant, junior vice commander. Mr. Straccio has been commander of the post's cadet drum and bugle corps for several years.

The meeting will feature refreshments, a buffet lunch and entertainment.

## Assessment Called Low

(Continued from Page One) the plants these past few years," he said.

"At a recent bi-partisan meeting of Falls citizens up at the county office, Welsh told us we would be surprised when the new figures came out. We took this as encouragement," Berkes explained, "that the figure would go way up. We sure were surprised," he said.

He pointed out that the school board was the main township body to feel the effect of the low assessment on the works. The state sets its re-imbursement fraction to school municipalities on the ratio between the real and assessed value of properties.

Falls Township has suffered reductions in re-imbursement because the state has placed the real value of the works at \$118 million while the county's is only \$70 million."

Bradshaw Snipes, school board member, said a special meeting of the board would probably be called early this week to put the board solicitor to work on the appeal. Many of the board members have in the past indicated an appeal would be made if the assessment figures were not up to expectation.

Berkes said he would introduce a similar proposal to the supervisors board at a meeting tomorrow night.

The new county assessment figures were released on Wednesday. Any appeals against the figures must be filed in a limited number of days after they have been made public.

School district tax millage in the township is now at its maximum of 50 mills. Despite the limit taxation, school officials are faced with the problem of raising badly needed funds for new schools.

The reduction of state re-imbursement the last few years has presented an even dimmer picture to the solution of its financial problems.

## Warminster Crash Kills 1, Injures 2

WARMINSTER, Pa. — UP — Patricio Ramos Lopez was killed and two companions were injured critically yesterday when their car crashed into a stone barn on their employer's nearby farm.

The other two men, Tony Rosario and Jesus Rodriguez, were taken to Abington Memorial hospital.

## GOP Talks Turn Into Pep Rally

(Continued from Page One) sets and former President Herbert Hoover.

Martin, veteran minority leader of the House, raised fresh charges of "Communism and corruption" against the Democrats. He said in his prepared address that the Republicans have "halted state socialism," and freed the American people from "raw deals."

The question before the voters this fall, Martin said, is whether "to return this nation to the leadership of the past that despised our heritage with the indelible stain of corruption and Communism."

The orators got more attention than usual at this convention because there was not much else to attract the spotlight. The two potential family fights—over the nomination of Vice President Richard M. Nixon and the virility of the civil rights platform plank—both were settled out of court.

Unless President Eisenhower should rock the boat—and his aides here said emphatically he would not—the delegates will hand Nixon the vice presidential nomination by overwhelming vote tomorrow.

Mr. Eisenhower was due to arrive from Washington between 9 and 9:30 p.m. (EDT). Harold E. Stassen, his disengagement adviser now on political leave, still clinging to the hope that Mr. Eisenhower would throw the vice presidential race wide open by bringing with him a "list" of "acceptable" nominees. But a highly placed White House source said there was "not a chance" that Mr. Eisenhower would do that.

Delegates at the Cow Palace were set to adopt without debate the "peace and prosperity" platform approved yesterday by the Platform Committee, extolling the record of the Eisenhower administration.

There was no contest in the Platform Committee except over the civil rights plank. The final version of that plank was a compromise after the White House intervened to keep it from being too stiff for Southern delegates to take.

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## Rec Program

(Continued from Page One) youngsters. Movies and ice cream will add to the party's games and contests.

Plans are being made for a fall recreation program and will be announced as soon as instructors and time can be set up, a recreation spokesman reported.

Walk-in outdoor movies will be discontinued for the season after Friday. Canteens will continue twice weekly until school begins, after which they will be held Wednesday nights only, from seven to ten.

Tomorrow night's outdoor film, to be shown on the grounds of the Lower Southampton Elementary School, will be "The Bandit of Sherwood Forest" with Cornel Wilde.

LIKES COLD BEER

JACKSON, Miss. — UP — James Jones, 19, was arrested by police in a restaurant as he tried to swap the two cases of warm beer he had stolen from another restaurant for two cases of cool beer.

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# New Jewish Congregation Formed For This Area

## Ex-Auditor Jailed, Faces Rock Pile

CHESTER, Ill. UP — Deposed State Auditor Orville E. Hodge, sentenced to state prison for his \$1-million raid on the state treasury, began prison life today with the prospect of soon pounding rocks in a quarry.

Hodge arrived at Menard State Prison last night after being sentenced to 12 to 15 years in prison following his plea of guilty to embezzlement in a gigantic phony state check scheme.

Warden Ross B. Randolph said he anticipated no problem with the one-time political playboy. "In a few days," Randolph said, "he'll be just another number."

The warden also revealed there was a possibility Hodge would go to work at the prison's rock quarry and pound rocks to restore his health. Hodge suffered a nervous reaction to the scandal and was hospitalized after being jailed about a week ago pending sentencing.

Hodge's sentence was imposed by Circuit Judge Clem Smith and was short of the demand by the state that the ousted auditor be imprisoned for the "rest of his life." It was also below the 20-year sentence given Hodge by a federal judge for misapplication of state funds in federally-insured banks.

## Dulles Suez Plan Rejected

LONDON — UP — India's roving Ambassador V. K. Krishna Menon today rejected the Dulles plan for internationalizing the Suez Canal and said, "we are back where we started."

Krishna Menon's rejection of the Western plan plunged the conference into deadlock and erased for the moment any hope of a compromise solution to the Suez crisis.

Secretary of State John Foster Dulles put forth his plan yesterday with a powerful plea that won the approval of most of the 22 nations present at the London Conference.

"Dulles wants to replace a board which already exists with an international board," Krishna Menon told a news conference. "This is unacceptable to Egypt."

When the contracts for construction of the schools are awarded the exact amount of the bond issue will be determined. It is expected to run about \$1,700,000 for both schools.

It was reported that two sites for additional schools had been purchased and negotiations for four other sites were underway.

These are for four new elementary schools to be built in Levittown in the next few years and two secondary schools.

John P. Betz, solicitor for the school board, said that 20 acres had been purchased from Mrs. Emma Booz. This ground is located at Green Lane and Mill Creek road. Another 10 acre-tract has been bought from Herbert E. Black. This is located in the middle of the Plumbridge section of Levittown.

The price for both sites was \$3500 an acre.

The board then voted unanimously to seek state approval on plans for these proposed schools.

Representatives of the Dolphine firm attended last night's meeting and explained some of the problems in floating bonds. The firm has handled all the other bond issues floated by the township in its school building program.

Also attending the meeting was

## Chamber Begins Industrial Talk

JOHN S. COLEMAN, of Detroit, president of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States, will be the principal speaker at a luncheon in Philadelphia Sept. 17, highlighting the first annual Industrial Development Conference of the Chamber of Commerce of Greater Philadelphia.

The all-day meeting, which will also feature six top speakers at morning and afternoon panel discussions, will be at the Benjamin Franklin Hotel, according to Robert E. Sessions, president of the Philadelphia Chamber.

General theme of the conference will be "A New Look At Industrial Development."

Leave office have held their posts for as long as 18 years.

## New Third District Fire Truck



The Third District Fire Company, of Bristol Township, received its new pumper yesterday afternoon. The truck was delivered to the company's new building at Harrison and Terrace avenues, off Bath road. The firemen plan to test the pumper at Silver Lake as soon as possible.

(Courtesy and Times Photo)

## Synagogue Name Picked At Meeting

Over 40 persons turned out last night and formed a new Jewish congregation for the Southampton-Feasterville area.

The group met at the Southampton Friends Meeting House, Gravel Hill and Street road, Southampton, and picked Menorah Reformed Synagogue as its temporary name.

Officers were elected and a schedule was set up for holy day services.

The new congregation has invited all interested Jewish residents of the Southampton-Feasterville area to join.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mel Hurwitz, 15500 Winding road, Southampton, Monday.

Holy day services will be conducted by the new Menorah Reformed Synagogue on Sept. 5, 6, 14 and 15. Student Rabbi Howard Rabinowitz of the Hebrew Union College, Jewish Institute of Religion, will officiate.

Rosh Hashanah services are set for 8 p.m. Sept. 5 and 10 a.m. Sept. 6, with children's services at 2:30 p.m. Sept. 6.

Yom Kippur services will be held Sept. 14 at 8 p.m. and Sept. 15 at 10 a.m. with children's services at 1:30 p.m.

### Elected President

Aaron Nelson of Trevose was elected president last night, while Charlotte Hurwitz, of Southampton, was chosen secretary.

Martin Katz, of Feasterville, was elected treasurer, and Hal Grauer and Irv Brager, both of Southampton, were named to the house committee.

Religious committee members are Mel Hurwitz, Southampton; Sol Frishberg, Southampton; Warren Kitter, Somerton; Kit Guberman, Somerton, and Jane Grauer, Southampton.

Named to the membership committee were Fred Keller, Somerton; Mildred Hicks, Southampton; Sophie Nelson, Trevose; Ed Kressloff, Somerton; Janet Basen, Nottingham Village, and Sylvia Volinsky, Stanwood.

Volunteers to assist the rabbi are Ruth Kressloff, Ed Basken and Jane Grauer.

## Obituaries

### SAMUEL G. SHIRE

Samuel G. Shire, husband of Aranata P. Shire, died suddenly last evening at his home, 249 West Circle, Bristol. He was a lifelong resident of Bristol, and was a partner for the past five years in the Lorraine Cleaning business, having stores on Farragut avenue, Bristol, and in the business center of Croydon.

The services will take place from the John C. Black funeral home, 314 Cedar street, Bristol. The Rev. R. G. Jolly, Philadelphia, will officiate. Friends may call at the funeral home this evening.

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Reports spread through the convention that Mr. Eisenhower would declare publicly, after his arrival here that he favors an "open" contest for second place on the GOP ticket.

White House sources said they knew of no definite plans for such a statement. But they said it is quite possible that the President will seize some convenient opportunity to repeat what he has said several times before: That he believes it is the delegates' right and duty to make a "free choice" of the best qualified candidate.

### Shows Up Support

Such a declaration would have not the slightest effect on Nixon's (Continued on Page 3, Col. 4)

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We're mighty glad, however, that readers like our new TV listings covering the entire day's schedule and the weekend television goings-on.

That's what we like about the readers. They're always mighty appreciative of and responsive to efforts of this fastest growing newspaper in the whole state of Pennsylvania to provide the best possible newspaper services.

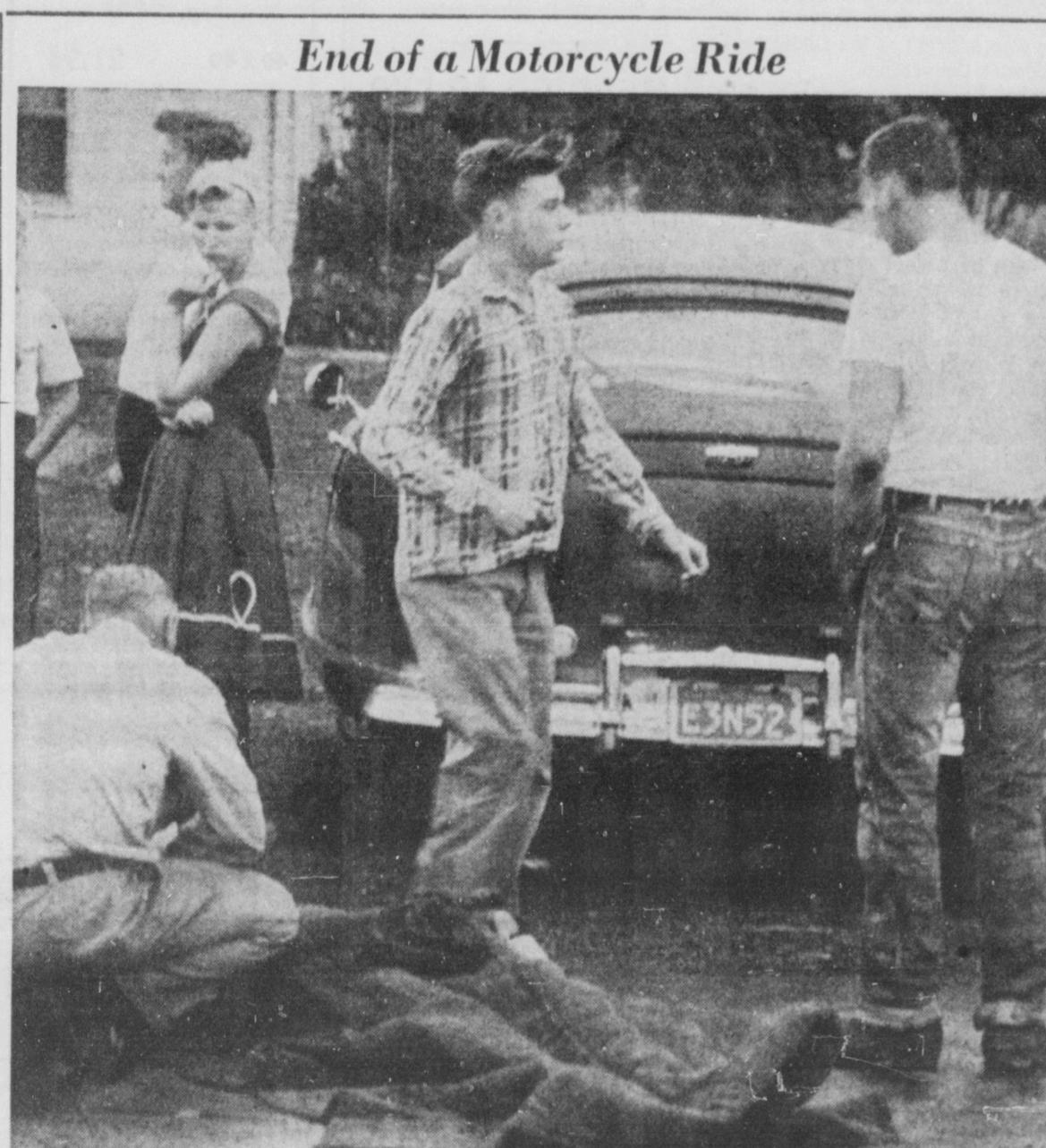
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### Morrisville Street Issue Draws Blast

Businessman Terms Area Newspaper Story 'Inaccurate'

Irving B. Levinson, Morrisville businessman and a principal in the Mordel Development Corporation, blasted as completely "inaccurate," an article which appeared in another newspaper, August 15, 1956, and he said Borough Council had to determine whether it was in the best interest of Morrisville to cut Washington Street from Bridge to Union street.

Continuing his stand, Mr. Levinson said, "The Mordel Development Corporation has met with the street committee three times to discuss this program. We have presented to the Council the reasons why we feel off-street parking is necessary to save the business center of Morrisville, and told the Council of the collective efforts of the businessmen to solve the off-street parking problem."

We suggest the Gopers keep Tom Dewey off the airways. His pomposness and pointless pundits are still just as irritating as they were back in catastrophic (for the GOP) 1948.

Democratic weather, incidental-

The weatherman should know we were just being on the facetious side a few days ago when we suggested a solid week of rain. Darn it two solid days do the trick nicely.

We're mighty glad, however, that readers like our new TV listings covering the entire day's schedule and the weekend television goings-on.

That's what we like about the readers. They're always mighty appreciative of and responsive to efforts of this fastest growing newspaper in the whole state of Pennsylvania to provide the best possible newspaper services.

There's one thing to be said for children—they never pull out pictures of their grandparents.

Anybody who is mistaken for a moose and is shot is better off dead anyway.

The sinister note read: "If you don't send \$1000 immediately, we'll kidnap your wife."

Answer: "I don't have that much money, but your proposition interests me."

Watch your driving.

### Seven Named To Park Commission By Gov. Leader

Seven new commissioners were appointed to Washington Crossing Park Commission yesterday by Gov. Leader, and the terms of seven old ones "automatically expired."

Only two of the present park commissioners will keep

their jobs, Mrs. Anne Hawkes Huntington, Edgely, chairman, and Eugene C. Rosenberger, Quakertown.

New appointments, confirmed by Gov. Leader's office this morning, are Mrs. Elinore R. Ridge, William C. Varcoe, Wycombe; Stuart M. Hartzel, Chalfont, and A. S. Hines, Philadelphia.

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# Middletown School Estimate Jumps \$200,000 Due To Hike In Steel Prices

## The Levittown Times

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Second Front Page

### Latest Fall Fashions



Three models at the Hitching Post, Levittown Shopping Center, display some of the latest fall fashions. The models (from left), Miss Pat Bonner, Mrs. Zigmund Emery and Miss Pat Heiges, showed the latest lines at the store yesterday which reopened after being closed for two weeks.

(Courtesy and Times Photo)

## Morrisville Patrolman's Car Struck

A Morrisville patrolman and his wife were injured slightly in a skidding accident on Route 1 at Olds Boulevard, Fairless Hills last night.

The officer, Mahlon A. Cummings, 37, of 39 North Pennsylvania Avenue, Morrisville, was off duty. He was driving east on Route 1 and had stopped for a traffic light at Olds boulevard.

Another car, driven by Lateen J. Peterson, 34, of 207 King street, Sumpter, N.C., was unable to stop at the light and skidded into Cummings' car.

Both Cummings and his wife, Mary, were taken to Mercy Hospital, Trenton, for treatment of abrasions and released.

Peterson was charged withreckless driving by Falls Township officers West Worsham and William Kershaw.

## Assessment

(Continued from Page One) meeting date might be announced tomorrow.

Members of the school board, supervisors, and both township political parties had made an appeal to the County Commissioners for a solution to the low assessment problem several months ago.

They pointed out that state reimbursement toward the support of schools was declining because of the difference in the state and county set-up on making assessments.

The Falls Township Democratic Party is also planning an appeal, Berkes said, on the blast furnace issue. Last month County Solicitor Robert Valimont ruled that blast furnaces were tax exempt in fifth class counties such as Bucks. Berkes said the Democratic party will appeal this ruling in an effort to help raise the steel firm's assessment.

## Births

LOWER BUCKS HOSPITAL

AUG. 19-20

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Attikson, 48 Rustle lane, Levittown, girl. Mr. and Mrs. George Kepich, Sherwood drive, Fallsington girl. Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Ribaric, 22 Nutmeg lane, Levittown, girl. Mr. and Mrs. Warren Renner, Lovett avenue, Tullytown, girl. Mr. and Mrs. James Rooney, 231 Jackson street, Bristol, girl.

## Delaware Valley Hospital

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Foley, Durham and Frosty Hollow road, Bristol R D 1, girl.

## Obituaries

### HARRISON E. ROCKHILL

Harrison E. Rockhill, 59, husband of Violet Toombs Rockhill, died suddenly of a heart attack at his home, 444 East Washington avenue, Newtown, early yesterday morning.

Born in Sykesville, N.J., he was the son of Mrs. Hannah Rogers Rockhill of Jacobstown, N.J. and the late Charles W. Rockhill. He had lived in Newtown 13 years. He was a member of Elks Lodge 105, Trenton, N.J. and the In and Out Social Club of Trenton.

He was employed by General Motors corporation for a number of years.

Besides his wife, he is survived by his father, Elijah Filer, Tamaqua; a brother, William Filer, Tamaqua; sister, Mrs. Grace Rogers, Baltimore, Md.; stepdaughter, Miss Mary Keller, Morrisville; stepson, Edward Keller, Morrisville and several nieces and nephews.

The funeral will be held from the J. Allen Hooper Funeral Chapel, 45 North Pennsylvania avenue, Morrisville, Friday, 2 p.m. Services will be by the Rev. Marvin E. Ewalt, pastor of the St. John's Evangelical Lutheran church, Morrisville. Interment will be in the Greenwood Cemetery, Trenton, N.J.

Friends may call Thursday, 7 p.m., at the Funeral Chapel.

### ARNOLD E. MARTIN

Funeral services were planned today for Arnold E. (Jake) Martin, chief legislative correspondent for the Newark Evening News.

Mr. Martin, who was 42, was found dead yesterday in a hotel room in Chicago, where he had been covering the Democratic convention for the News.

Physicians, who estimated he had been dead some 15 hours when found, said Mr. Martin died in his sleep of a heart attack or a cerebral hemorrhage. He had suffered from heart illness.

Mr. Martin, of 333 Arborlea avenue, Morrisville, is survived by his widow, Mrs. Elizabeth S. Martin, daughter, Sally, a son, Clark, all of Morrisville; a brother, Mervin, of Pennsauken, N.J.; a sister, Sarah M. Chase, Groosemont, Calif., and his mother, Mrs. Margaret Engle Martin, Pleasantville, N.J.

Born in Pleasantville, Mr. Martin began his newspaper career with the Atlantic City Press in 1935. He joined the Associated Press bureau at Trenton in 1942, and joined the staff of the Newark Evening News in 1944.

Funeral services will be held Thursday at 11 a.m. at Ivins and Taylor Funeral Home, 77 Prospect street, Trenton. Burial will be at the convenience of the family. The family requests that flowers be omitted. There will be no calling hours.

### HARRY T. FILER

Harry T. Filer, husband of Edna M. Geary Filer, 315 Harrison avenue, Morrisville, died suddenly this morning in the St. Francis hospital, Trenton, N.J. Mr. Filer, born in Frackville, resided in Morrisville for many years. He was an accountant and had his office at 7 North Pennsylvania avenue, Morrisville. He was a graduate of Muhlenberg college, Allentown, a former Morrisville school teacher and taught school on Appletree drive.

The regular meeting of the Levittown Civic Association will be held tonight at 8:30 o'clock in the Thomas Jefferson Elementary school on Appletree drive.

## Hands-Off Policy Seen On VP Spot

(Continued from Page One) bandwagon. Nixon has sewed up the support of an overwhelming majority of delegates. The only thing that could stop him now would be positive action by Mr. Eisenhower to bring competitors into the field. The President could do that any time after he arrives at the convention merely by making known the names of one or more candidates, other than Nixon who would be "acceptable" to him.

That is what Harold E. Stassen has been hoping for and predicting. But that, according to highly placed informants, is precisely what Mr. Eisenhower does not intend to do.

Many party leaders, including Nixon himself, have made clear that they would welcome a statement by Mr. Eisenhower that he wants an "open convention."

Some Republican strategists feel it would help to offset any advantage which the Democrats may have gained in public opinion when Adlai E. Stevenson precipitated a free-for-all fight for the Democratic vice presidential nomination in Chicago last week.

The President's impending arrival was the big event on today's calendar. It provided for the victory-confident delegates the first real excitement of a convention that has been notably lacking in suscense.

### Restates Ike's Policies

The major business of today's session at the Cow Palace was adoption of a 1956 campaign platform that expressed what party leaders called "the political philosophy of the new Republican Party." Essentially, the platform was a restatement of President Eisenhower's domestic and foreign policies.

### Street Issue

(Continued from Page One) Headley Howell and his family, Mr. Levinson said, an important location on Bridge street to be done, without cost to the Borough, over half that ground for street purposes. Now, Mr. Levinson pointed out, the businessmen are raising funds to assist the Council in defraying the cost of this project.

"The first concern of Town Council should be whether or not this project is needed and necessary," Mr. Levinson said. "The Council should consider the fact that one-sixth of Borough revenue comes from this business area, Mr. Levinson went on.

"Council should consider whether or not it is good for the Borough taxpayers to face an increase in their own taxes, by like amount, if the business area deteriorates and crumbles. If Council finds that it is a proper and worthwhile project to save the business area, then Council should consider the cost," Mr. Levinson said.

### Now Is The Time

"It is Mordel's position that Council will never have another opportunity to have a necessary portion of the Howell property donated for the street and also to have the businessmen reimburse Council for a large portion of the total cost of this improvement," Mr. Levinson went on.

"If the project is good," Mr. Levinson said, "then it seems that it should be done."

Mr. Levinson pointed out that this program was not originated by the Morrisville Community Development Corporation, as reported in the August 15 story. That corporation did, at the request of Mordel, make available to the Council, the present MCDC parking lot, but that the project has not been initiated by, nor has the Council ever been approached by, the Morrisville Community Development Corporation, Mr. Levinson said.

Under the plan outlined with Council, the businessmen would lease the parking lot from the Borough for the duration of the bond issue required to pay the cost of these improvements. The business did form a corporation and rent signs and parking facilities to public houses, Mr. Levinson said, but this would not be done by the Morrisville Community Development Corporation.

### Wrong Record

It was reported, Mr. Levinson said, that one councilman stated that anything that is done is too late and that the Bridge street situation is nothing but a fourth-class district. Mr. Levinson pointed out the councilman was doing a thriving business in this fourth-class district and therefore his district rating must indicate that a fourth-class district is far from hopeless.

Mr. Levinson admitted that time is running out for the project, but while the businessmen are willing to support the project, a great show of confidence is shown in the future of Morrisville.

"I have confidence in Morrisville and I know that most residents do," Mr. Levinson said.

The regular meeting of the Levittown Civic Association will be held tonight at 8:30 o'clock in the Thomas Jefferson Elementary school on Appletree drive.

## New Voters Register



Residents of the Pennsbury Heights-Falls Park area registered to vote yesterday at the Yardley Farms sample home on Makefield road. Though the registration point was open to all new eligible voters in the area, most of yesterday's registration was made up of residents of the two new housing developments. (Courtesy and Times Photo)

## \$2,100,000 Cost Seen For Building

An increase in steel prices, as a result of a pay hike for steelworkers, was seen costing the Middletown Township School board \$200,000.

The board last night passed a resolution raising the estimated cost of a proposed junior high school from \$1,900,000 to \$2,100,000. In passing the resolution the board pointed out that steel prices have been raised since settlement of a month-long, nationwide strike.

At the same time the board directed its solicitor, Myron Harris, to complete negotiations for purchase of a 35-acre site for the school by next month. Charles J. Tetlow, board president, pointed out that negotiations have been in progress for nearly a year.

**Six Parcels of Land**  
Mr. Tetlow said the site consists of six parcels of land. All but one owner has agreed to a price for the land. This owner holds the biggest piece of property, 10 acres, Tetlow said, and the board can't proceed without it.

A special meeting was called for Sept. 10 to interview architects to draw up plans for the new school.

Mr. Tetlow also announced that the 5-room Walter Miller school, to be ready in time for school opening next month. He disclosed that township children will occupy about ten rooms of the building and 12 rooms will be used for Lower Southampton children.

**Temporary Arrangement**  
This will be a temporary arrangement, for about a month until an elementary school in Lower Southampton is completed. Both townships are members of the Neshaminy Joint school system which permits the interchange of students.

## Seven Named To Park Unit

(Continued from Page One) for close to 16 years, the park ofice said today.

The governor did not appoint anyone to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Warren B. Watson, Mechanicsville. The commission is limited to 10 members, and with the appointment of seven new members and retaining of two old ones, a vacancy still exists.

A spokesman for the governor's office said it won't be necessary to formally dismiss seven of the present members because their terms have already expired. "Under the law, they continue until their successors are appointed," he said. He said the terms of old members expire upon appointment of new ones.

## Chamber To Hold Industrial Talk

John S. Coleman, of Detroit, president of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States, will be the principal speaker at a luncheon in Philadelphia Sept. 17, highlighting the first annual Industrial Development Conference of the Chamber of Commerce of Greater Philadelphia.

The all-day meeting, which will also feature six top speakers at morning and afternoon panel discussions, will be at the Benjamin Franklin Hotel, according to Robert E. Sessions, president of the Philadelphia Chamber. General terms of the conference will be "A New Look At Industrial Development."



## Seeing Levittown

By LYDIA BOGANE

Eight year old Canadian-born "Butch Bernard," appearing in the "Toy Tiger" film being shown today and tomorrow at the Towne Theatre is the nephew of Mr. and Mrs. Paul LeBlanc of 24 Tanglewood Lane, Thornridge.

Butch appeared on television two weeks ago when he portrayed the part of a crippled boy on "My Friend Flicka." Some of his TV credits include "Life with Riley," "December Bride," "Lux Video Theatre," "Dinah Shore Show," and an award winning performance as the star of one of the "Medical" series.

The Scottish Highland Dancing housewife, Shirley Ayres, of 85 Vermont Lane, Vermilion Hills, was unable to compete in the Scottish-American Highland Dance Contest in Trenton on Saturday, because of a broken ankle.

Speaking of vending machines, there's a whole slew of them on a spot along Route 13 called the Vend-O-Mart. There you can get milk, cookies, candy, soda, cigarettes, and whatever else comes out of a machine.

A real convenience provided you walk around with a pocket full of the right change all the time.

## More Lovelies



These girls have entered "The Queen of the Delaware Valley" contest sponsored by the Levittown Businessmen's Association which will have final judging on the Mall in the Shop-A-Rama on Saturday, September 1, at 5 p.m. First prize will be a \$1200 scholarship to the American Foundation of Arts, Philadelphia.

**KENWOOD KEYNOTES**  
Ruth Billmers  
91 Kingwood Lane  
WI 6-2937

Hello, the weather is good for the ducks and of course our lawns. Wasn't much doing at our house this Sunday so we took the children to Towne to see Martin and Lewis. I don't know who laughed harder, the kids or hub-

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Abrams, 52 Kenwood drive, entertained Mr. and Mrs. Morris Abbott, Philadelphia, recently.

On Saturday, I went to Lower Bucks County Hospital to visit my good friend, Mrs. Hilda Segal, who I'm happy to say is coming along fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rimmel, 73 Kraft lane, had house guests for the weekend, the Lutenten Junior Grade Clifford Thomas and wife, Derby, Kan.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Miller, 86 Kingwood lane, entertained friends from Kingston, Pa., last weekend, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bawdy and children, Toni Lee and Tommy. This weekend, Mr. and Mrs. Miller and children went to Wilkes-Barre to visit Robert's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Miller.

The First Baptist Church is having a picnic on the church grounds Aug. 18, 2 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. William Card, 73 Kingapple lane, entertained recently for Mr. and Mrs. Murphy, Philadelphia and Mr. and Mrs. Aspray, Crabtree Hollow.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Hopkins, 27 Kingwood lane, had weekend guests, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Miller and daughter, Marilyn, Littleton, Pa.

On Sunday, Ada's brother, U. Waltersdorff, Waynesboro, Pa., spent the day.

Son Scott Hopkins, has a broken collar bone but is coming along just fine.

Mr. and Mrs. John Thorpe, 40 Kingwood lane and children, Diane and John Anthony Jr., spent a week's vacation at Grand Lake, Ellsworth Falls, Me.

This weekend, Mr. and Mrs. Thorpe and family will visit good friends, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hodgson, Newburgh, N.Y. It will be quite a reunion as the two families haven't seen each other in several years.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Daly, 63 Kingapple lane, had dinner guests recently. They were Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Halsey and children, Nancy and Kathy, Olney.

Mrs. Daly and children, Margaret Ann and Donna Marie, went to Ocean City for a vacation where they visited Mrs. Sawyer, yah.

Mrs. Sarah Sweeney, 101 Kingwood lane, spent the day visiting friends, Mrs. Bauerlein, Indian Creek and Mrs. Birchler, Magnolia Hill.

Congratulations to Mrs. Lionel Ferland, 105 Kingwood lane, whose essay won in the Fourth Naval District. Mr. and Mrs. Ferland won an all expense paid trip to California where Mrs. Ferland will compete in the big Mrs. U.S. Navy contest. We're all rooting for you, Louise, Kenwood is mighty proud of this Navy wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Lionel Ferland entertained guests on Monday. They were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Chimich and daughter, Cheryl, Philadelphia.

Happy birthday to Robbie Rubin, 20 Kraft lane, who was four years old Aug. 8. In honor of this happy occasion Robbie and his brother, Ira, spent the weekend at grandma's house, Mrs. Beitchman, Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Janzer, 67 Kingapple lane, had Irene's parents visiting for ten days, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Weber, New York. Children, John and James, hate to see grandmom and grandpa leave.

It's loads of fun hearing about your vacations. But some of us are still bashful. Don't be. Please call.

**UPPER ORCHARD NOTES**  
Joyce Vey  
33 Upland Road  
WI 6-3766

There is a very urgent need for leaders and committee members for a Brownie Troop in this section. A Brownie troop will be formed as soon as leaders can be obtained. The Upper Orchard Women's Club will sponsor the troop and Betty Walker, their Girl Scout representative, has asked that everyone interested in helping with the troop to please contact her at WI 6-7933 as soon as possible. No previous experience is necessary for this. There is a training course available.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lelko and daughter, Carol Anne, 53 Underwood road, enjoyed the bathing beach and boardwalks at Asbury Park July 28. Sue's birthday was celebrated also on July 28.

Mrs. Herbert Dubin and son, Melvyn, 17 Unity Turn and Vic's sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Hyman Rosenthal, Philadelphia, motored to Florida the end of July. They spent two weeks on their trip visiting St. Augustine, Daytona Beach and Miami Beach.

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Barbara and Patty Routzahn, daughters of Captain and Mrs. Charles Routzahn, 62 Upper Orchard drive, are spending an extended vacation with their aunt and uncle, Doctor and Mrs. Robert Hutton, Frederick, Md.

A vote of thanks to Freddy Jordan, Mrs. Bonnie Bainbridge, Dick and Phyllis Bainbridge for helping the L.P.R.A. with the swimming classes.

Major Ralph Lowe recently returned from Fort Sill, Okla. His and Mrs. Harold Irwin, 5 Upland road, July 28. Ann and Harold also entertained July 30 for Mrs. William Flowers and son, Billy, Alabama and Mrs. Harold Irwin Sr., Philadelphia.

Birthday greetings to Mrs. Shirley Jordon, 72 Ironwood road; Ann Baskow, 41 Ironwood road; Peggy Ann Fricke, 77 Ironwood road and Pamela Lentz, 87 Ivy Hill road.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Johnston, formerly of 93 Ironwood road, have moved into their new country clubber.

Miss Billy Schaeffer, 65 Ironwood road, is on the sick list and in the Bucks County Hospital.

Happy birthday to Allan Alter, 351 Indian Creek drive. Allan will be 14 years old.

Allan Micklin is visiting with Allan Alter, 351 Indian Creek drive, for a week.

Happy birthday to Neal Goldberg, 41 Indian Red road, who was 13 years old Aug. 20.

Mrs. Ruth Alter, 351 Indian Creek drive, is having a meeting at her home for the mothers of all 1st-graders to discuss the school situation in Indian Creek section. It is important to schedule this meeting before school starts so please call Mrs. Alter as soon as possible. Phone number is Windsor 5-2891.

Don't forget, this is your column. Fill it up.

**NORTH PARK NOTES**  
Betty Jo Downing  
73 North Turn Lane  
WI 6-4373

Hi Neighbors! What's new? News during the summer is slow but whatever news there is, I will report it, so let's get started.

Belated birthday greetings to Sandra Parmentier, 10 Vista road, who celebrated her 13th year July 16. John Parmentier chalked up another year Aug. 8. The Parmentiers were visiting in Long Island.

Billie Miller, 14 Vista road, just recently returned from visiting her parents in Nashville, Tenn. and from there took her mother and father on to Arkansas where she visited her sister. It was a wonderful reunion.

The Petrie twins, Martha and Caroline, 31 Vista road, were a big three years old April 14. The twins have another sister by the name of Leslie, who made her debut April 11 and weighed nine pounds, two ounces.

phia, with \$250 cash for expenses. The girls (from left) are: Diane Greenwood, Eunice Thompson, Liz Grdnic, Nancy Kennedy, Eileen Tracy, Gail Greene, Bonnie Kirkley, Shelly Davis, Angela DeSantis, Bettigene Bramblir, and Anna Liszewski.

**INDIAN CREEK**  
By Irene Solomon  
102 Idlewild Road  
WI 5-2074

Best wishes to Mr. Harold Bainbridge, 82 Ironwood road, as of July, he was promoted to new position of plant engineer for National Brands Division of Sterling Drugs, Trenton, N.J.

Congratulations are also in order to Mr. Frank Procz, 80 Ironwood road, who changed positions with United States Steel company to Goodall Rubber company, as plant production engineering manager of the Engineering department.

Mrs. Matilda Kane, during her mid-year vacation in Florida this past January, caught a 36 pound sailfish while on a fishing trip with her husband. Mr. Kane just completed having it mounted and now you can see all six feet of it mounted and hung in Kane's Market, Five Corners.

Mr. and Mrs. Jonas Rimson, 88 Ironwood road, recently returned from their vacation visiting with Doctor and Mrs. Julius Dwork, Essex Junction, Vt.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Loeliger and daughters, Frances and Lorraine, had a happy holiday. They spent a week at Point Pleasant, N.J.

A vote of thanks to Freddy Jordan, Mrs. Bonnie Bainbridge, Dick and Phyllis Bainbridge for helping the L.P.R.A. with the swimming classes.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bockius, Orelend, Pa., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Irwin, 5 Upland road, July 28. Ann and Harold also entertained July 30 for Mrs. William Flowers and son, Billy, Alabama and Mrs. Harold Irwin Sr., Philadelphia.

Belated good wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Howard Fricke, 77 Ironwood road, on your wedding anniversary.

Birthday greetings to Mrs. Shirley Jordon, 72 Ironwood road; Ann Baskow, 41 Ironwood road; Peggy Ann Fricke, 77 Ironwood road and Pamela Lentz, 87 Ivy Hill road.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Johnston, formerly of 93 Ironwood road, have moved into their new country clubber.

Miss Billy Schaeffer, 65 Ironwood road, is on the sick list and in the Bucks County Hospital.

Happy birthday to Allan Alter, 351 Indian Creek drive. Allan will be 14 years old.

Allan Micklin is visiting with Allan Alter, 351 Indian Creek drive, for a week.

Happy birthday to Neal Goldberg, 41 Indian Red road, who was 13 years old Aug. 20.

Mrs. Ruth Alter, 351 Indian Creek drive, is having a meeting at her home for the mothers of all 1st-graders to discuss the school situation in Indian Creek section. It is important to schedule this meeting before school starts so please call Mrs. Alter as soon as possible. Phone number is Windsor 5-2891.

Don't forget, this is your column. Fill it up.

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**LAKESIDE LEANINGS**  
By Janet Whitekettle  
2 Locust Lane  
WI 6-3216

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. George Koch, 18 Locust lane, on the birth of a little daughter. She arrived July 26, in the Mercer Hospital, Trenton. Her parents have named her Mary Jane and she was baptized at St. Michael's Church Aug. 12. Later a celebration was held at the Koch home for a few of their most intimate friends and relatives. Mary Jane has a brother, Timmy, who is three years old.

Scott Derr, son of Ernie and Gail Derr, 91 Wildflower road, celebrated his fourth birthday Aug. 19. She will entertain a small group of her friends and cousins to celebrate the occasion. Linda's guests will include Adele and Anita Genveninian, Susan Bernstein and Tommy Barton. Her parents are Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Gersh, 38 Laurel lane.

My sister, Marie Mouder and her four children, Eddie, Ellen, Joyce and Diane, Fort Washington, Pa., came to visit us Aug. 7. While she was here, we made plans for our children's vacation at each other's homes. My sis-

ter, Mrs. Kaiser. Another guest, Miss Janet Bush, has been fascinating the Kaiser boys, Doug and Donnie, with information about the musical group known as "The Gaylords". Miss Bush is a friend of members of the group and the association has further endeared her to the boys, both of whom have a deep interest in music.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Kaiser, 490 Lakeside drive, have been thoroughly enjoying a visit from Mrs. Ralph Hall and her daughter, Pearl, mother and sister of Mrs. Kaiser. Another guest, Miss Janet Bush, has been fascinating the Kaiser boys, Doug and Donnie, with information about the musical group known as "The Gaylords". Miss Bush is a friend of members of the group and the association has further endeared her to the boys, both of whom have a deep interest in music.

Vacations are the order for almost every week now. Here are some of the folks who recently returned to their Lakeside homes:

A word of congratulation seems in order for the large representation of Lakeside women among the recently elected officers of the Sisterhood of the Levittown Jewish Center. Those holding office from this section are, Idell Corson, Florence Kopstein, Gertrude Rappaport, Sylvia Lefkowitz, Lois Arzt and Janet Schwartz.

Locust lane seems to be really in the news this week. Along with births and vacations come farewells to two families whose neighbors regretted to see them leave. Mr. and Mrs. Rollin White, 9 Locust lane, have taken up residence in Maryland, where he is now working. Mr. and Mrs. Louis Spaeth, 4 Locust lane, will drive to Florida following a brief visit with their children, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Biederbeck, Quincy, Ill.

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## JUNIPER HILL JINGLES

**Mrs. Sylvia Marbo**

WI 6-1182

Eileen Neill, daughter of Helen and William Neill, 10 Jadewood, was nine years old Aug. 8. She celebrated by having two girl friends, Jackie Moser and Beverly Politz, over in the afternoon for ice cream and cake.

Mary Jane and Bill Carlin, 186 Juniper drive, have just returned from a week's stay at the Marshall House in York Harbor, Maine.

Bonnie and Jack Graham and children, Jon and Debbie, spent

the weekend with Jack's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Graham, in Connellsville, Pa. The Grahams live at 168 Juniper drive.

Welcome to Mort and Erma Stein and two children, Sandy and Robbie, who have just moved into 20 Jadewood. Mort is president of the new Jubilee Bowling Alley in the Country Club Shopping Center. The Alleys are open around the first of Sept.

August first was the 14th anniversary for Louise and William Woellmer, 6 Jump Hill and August eighth was the ninth for Mary and Walter Peters, 33 Jadewood, Maine.

# Bristol Twp. CD To Plan With Industry On Disaster

## County 4-H Places At State Contests

Eighteen girls and boys from throughout Bucks County joined members at the thirty-second annual 4-H Club Week recently at Pennsylvania State University.

Demonstration and judging contests, exhibits, talks, discussions, and sports comprised the activities of the day; vespers, candle-light service, and square-dancing made up the evening programs.

Judging of the Home Economics exhibits and demonstrations was done on the Danish system. Of the thirty-seven exhibits submitted to "Tell the 4-H Story," the Bucks County exhibit made by the Buckingham club received a second placing.

Marty Jo Paxson of Southampton received a first placing for her demonstration, "Table Tops"—one of six on home improvement.

Judy Mensch of Orlissville won a

second placing in one of the nine popularity foods demonstrations with her presentation of "Eggs in a Nest." "Hints for Hems" was one of twenty-one clothing demonstrations given by Janet Freed and Mary Lee Nyce, Doylestown, for which they received a second placing.

**Ribbon Winner**

Helen Shull of Newtown presented "Soup's On" in one of the ten dairy foods demonstrations. Her demonstration was awarded a white ribbon or third placing.

Cathy Longcope, Perkasie, gave a vegetable demonstration entitled "Patio Delight," for which she

received a white ribbon. Bucks County agricultural awards included eighth placing for week activities were Betty Worthington, Doylestown; Sally Jones, Buckingham; Nancy Kulp, Hillside, Grace Mood and John Hunsberger of Plumsteadville; and Lillian Nehoda and Edward Curry of Chalfont.

The local swine judging team ranked ninth in the state with Warren Kulp of Hilltown ranking fifth in individual judging.

**Rated Tenth**

Of the 35 dairy judging teams, Bucks rated tenth. Raymond Benson, Buckingham, and Luise Zoel, Ottsville, received red plac-

ing. They were among 61 individuals in dairy judging.

Others who attended the Club Week activities were Betty Worthington, Doylestown; Sally Jones, Buckingham; Nancy Kulp, Hillside, Grace Mood and John Hunsberger of Plumsteadville; and Lillian Nehoda and Edward Curry of Chalfont.

Robert Hartley, assistant county agent and Miss Frances Vannoy, extension home economist, accompanied the group.

The average price of a pound loaf of white bread was 70 per cent more in 1955 than 46.

## Movie Timetable Bristol

BRISTOL—"That Certain Feeling" and "The Killing."

LEVITTOWN TOWNE—"Toy Tiger"

BURLINGTON HIGH—"Off Limits," & "War of Worlds," 7 & 8:30

TRENTON BROAD—"Toy Tiger," & "Rawhide Years," 6:30

BRUNSWICK—"Doctor at Sea," 7:30 & 9:30

CAPITOL—"Dakota Incident," & "A Strange Adventure," 12

LINCOLN—"Eddie Duchin Story," 12

TRENTON—"Godzilla, King of the Monsters," & "Kentucky Rifle," 12

DRIVE INS ANDALUSIA—"Alexander the Great" and "Sabaka."

BURLINGTON—"Un married Mothers," & "Social Disease."

AWRENCE—"Seven Men From Now" & "Satellite in the Sky"

LINCOLN—"Man In Gray Flannel Suit" and "Time Table"

MORRISVILLE—"20,000 Years In Sing Sing" and "Alcatraz"

ROOSEVELT—"Jumping Jacks" & "There's Always Tomorrow"

TRENTON—"The Swan," & "Tribute to a Bad Man"

HONEYMOONERS DELAY RACE BECCLES, ENGLAND—UP—The start of the annual regatta here was delayed by a small cabin cruiser moored in the middle of the river. An official went out to the cruiser to ask it to move but returned redefined. "It's a honeymoon couple," he said. "They don't want to be disturbed."

COMMUNICATIONS

Mr. Bixler said he planned to use as many township officials as possible in the civil defense program. He explained they would head CD units which correspond with their townships.

"This way we will be able to coordinate the CD program with township efforts in case of a disaster," the director said.

APPOINTMENTS

The divisions and the personnel, who will head them are:

Communications, engineering, transportation, rescue, air raid warning and observers will be under the direction of James Darrah, liaison man between the township and its engineer, assisted by David Miller, township plumbing official, who will serve as field director.

Chemical Warfare

Chemical warfare and special weapons defense and medical and health problems. Frank Dorn, township health officer, will be the director of this division, and William Erwin, township engineer, will be the field director.

Plant protection, fire, police, and air raid warden services under the direction of Fred Hibbs, township commissioner, and Lawrence Hawcock, field director.

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B.) One (1) Tandem Road Roller,

3.5 tons capacity with hydraulic steering control, metal transmission,

forward and speed reverse, with water cooled gas engine not less than 30 h.p., with heavy duty paving breaker.

C.) One (1) 125 ft. long, 125 ft.

per one minute at 100 lbs. pressure per regulator crank start and stopping, water cooled gas engine at least 50 h.p.

D.) One (1) 10 ton capacity clamshell and dragline combination, 10 ton capacity with 6 cylinder gasoline engine not less than 60 h.p., mounted on heavy duty track frame, tandem with 6 cylinder gasoline engine not less than 100 h.p.

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